UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

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MARK BENNETT AND ANGELA BENNETT) Case No.: 3:04 cv-30158-MAP
Debtors)
MARK BENNETT AND ANGELA BENNETT	
Appellant)) Bankruptcy No.: 03-40074-HJB
v.	
PHOEBE MORSE, UNITED STATES TRUSTEE, DENISE M. PAPPALARDO, STANDING CHAPTER 13 TRUSTEE))))
Appellees	
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MOTION OF APPELLANT ATTORNEY FRANCIS LAFAYETTE TO ENLARGE DEADLINE FOR FILING APPELLANT REPLY BRIEF

Now comes Attorney Francis Lafayette, Appellant in the above captioned case, who moves this Honorable Court for an extension for filing his reply brief to the Appellee's Briefs.

The reason that more time is requested by Appellant Attorney Francis Lafayette to reply to the Appellee's Briefs of the Chapter 13 Trustee, Denise M. Pappalardo and the United States Trustee is that according to the Pacer Docket of the United States District Court, the Appellee's Briefs were due on September 3, 2004, but were not filed. The Appellee's Brief of the Chapter 13 Trustee, Denise M. Pappalardo, was filed late on September 29, 2004, and a copy was given by the Chapter 13

Trustee to the Appellant Attorney Lafayette on that same day, leaving him with only 7 days to review and file a reply brief by October 6, 2004. The Appellee's Brief of the United States Trustee was also due on September 3, 2004 and was not filed. A Motion to Extend Time until October 20, 2004 was filed on September 30, 2004. The Appellant has not been able to review or reply to the Appellee Brief of the United States Trustee as the Brief remains unfiled.

Wherefore, the Appellant, Attorney Francis Lafayette requests that the filing deadline for the Reply Brief to both the Chapter 13 Trustee and the United States Trustee be extended 14 days from the day the United States Trustee's Appellee's Brief is filed.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Francis Lafayette, J.D., hereby certify that on October 7, 2004, I served a copy of the foregoing MOTION OF APPELLANT ATTORNEY FRANCIS LAFAYETTE TO EXTEND DEADLINE FOR FILING REPLY BRIEF to the parties as shown below on October 7, 2004.

Francis Lafayette, J.D.

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